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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

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Action mailed on December 23, 2002.

A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed
herewith.

The fee for a one month extension of time is \$110.00. Please charge this fee and any
additional extension fee required or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account Number 16-1885.

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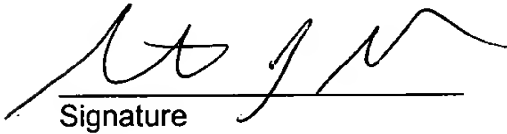
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